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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re Application of:**

Ernest J. Hamilton

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apparatus and methods  
independent of blade thickness  
via constrained biasing  
elements

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